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ACID CONTENT AND THEIR  
GENERATION**

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**MAIL STOP: AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

a.) **Introductory Remarks.**

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT  
AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action, mail dated July 29, 2004, applicant respectfully makes the following provisional election and requests reconsideration of the Restriction in view of applicant's remarks below. Applicant further requests entry of the following preliminary amendments to the claims.